

**WEEK AT A GLANCE**  
November 12<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup>

Sat.	4:30 p.m.	Mass – Sacred Heart (Souls of the Faithful Departed†)
Sun.	8:15 a.m.	Mass – St. Anne (Souls of the Faithful Departed†)
	10:00 a.m.	Mass – Sacred Heart (Souls of the Faithful Departed†)
	10:00 a.m.	Formación de Fe de los niños
	11:30 a.m.	Choir Practice
	12:00 p.m.	Misa en Español (Souls of the Faithful Departed†)
	6:00 p.m.	Sacred Heart Youth Group
Mon.	8:00 a.m.	Mass (Souls of the Faithful Departed†)
	9:00 a.m.	Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	RCIA
Tue.	11:00 a.m.	Rosary at Rosie DelaTorre's home
	6:00 p.m.	Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos
Wed.	8:00 a.m.	Mass (Souls of the Faithful Departed†)
	9:00 a.m.	Hospitality in the Parish Hall
	6:00 p.m.	Faith Formation Classes (Grades 1 <sup>st</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> )
	6:00 p.m.	Bible Study
Thu.	8:00 a.m.	Mass (Souls of the Faithful Departed†)
Fri.	8:00 a.m.	Mass (Souls of the Faithful Departed†)
	9:00 a.m.	Thanksgiving Food Basket Distribution
	11:00 a.m.	Rosary at Oak River Rehab
	6:00 p.m.	Grupo de Juevenes
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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Mon.	Revelation 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Luke 18:35-43
Tue.	Revelation 3:1-6, 14-22; Luke 19:1-10
Wed.	Revelation 4:1-11; Luke 19:11-28
Thu.	Revelation 5:1-10; Luke 19:41-44
Fri.	Revelation 10:8-11; Luke 19:45-48
Sat.	Revelation 11:4-12; Luke 20:27-40
Sun.	2 Samuel 5:1-3; Colossians 1:12-20; Luke 23:35-43

**PRAYER CONCERNS**

Clementine Mills, Anita Walsh, Joy Giles, Mary Jarvis, Ross Clark, Francisco Flores, Ben Bowers, James Casados, Sharon Ehn, Gene Daley, David Jacobs, Dee Long, Jay Burns, Mary West, Yvonne Mantey, Miranda Weise, Jorge Ortiz, Delaney Valles, Will Neves, Bill Thurman, Ilene Duval, Tom and Lorraine Cummings, Stan Maclsaac.

**THANK YOU**

A special thank you to everyone who attended the “2016 America Needs Fatima Rosary Rally” and made this event such a success. Most of all, thank you to Father Wells for allowing us to use the church and for praying with us. Mark your calendars for next year – **Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>**, for the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. This is a very special way to honor our Blessed Mother. Thank you again. ---Denice Dufault

**STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

**Collection Summary**

October 22/23:	\$4,353
October 29/30:	\$4,850
November 1 <sup>st</sup> :	\$1,302
November 5/6:	\$7,155

**For fiscal year 2016–2017**

Budgeted for Collections: **\$280,000**  
**Total for 18 weeks: \$97,886 weekly Goal: \$5,385**  
 Average Weekly Collection: **\$5,438**

**Second Collection**

**This weekend** we support our family and friends who have served this nation with distinction. The **Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services** will provide the Gospel, the sacraments and other forms of spiritual support to the men and women of the United States armed forces wherever they serve, no matter the circumstances. Please prayerfully consider a generous contribution to the national Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services. The AMS receives no federal funding.

The Second Collection **next weekend** is for our Sacred Heart **“Catholic Faith Formation”** programs. This collection supports faith formation for children, High School Youth Ministry, Adult Bible Study, RCIA, and Catholic School Tuition Assistance.

**ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR & BAKE SALE**

St. Joseph Altar Society's annual Christmas Bazaar will be held on **Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup>**, 8:30am to 1:00pm in the St. Joseph School gym. Hand-crafted items, jewelry, religious articles and baked goods will be for sale. All proceeds support the St. Joseph Altar Society to help them purchase needed items for the church. For more information, please contact Theresa Hugo at 241-7543.

**WEEKLY REFLECTIONS**

**Question of the Week**

**For Children:** Jesus teaches us that work is good for us. What kind of work do you do during the week? How does it help you?

**For Youth:** Jesus tells us that even though bad things will happen, we are safe in God. When have you felt the safety of God's life in your own life?

**For Adults:** Paul's words to the Thessalonians are tough: if you want to eat, you must work! How does this translate into our society today? How do you reconcile this with Jesus' command to love and feed the poor?

**Liturgy of the Word**

In today's Gospel, we hear Jesus warn his disciples about what to expect in the last days: earthquakes, famines, and plagues. Yet he says that “not a hair on your head will be destroyed.” In the first reading Malachi also announces the coming day of wrath. Yet he too promises safety for those who fear God's name. Let us ponder God's love and mercy in the midst of even the greatest cataclysms.

**INTERIOR FREEDOM: MAINTAINING PEACE IN A COMPLICATED WORLD**

Please join us for a “do not miss” Thanksgiving retreat with Fr. Jacques Philippe, Saturday Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> at St. John the Evangelist Church, Carmichael, CA! Fr. Philippe's retreats have been described as “a little piece of heaven” and his simple but profound books have sold over 1 million copies in 24 languages. He is endorsed by priests such as the late Fr. Benedict Groeschel and Fr. C.J. McCloskey III. His writings on themes such as prayer, interior freedom, and peace of the heart are considered classics of modern Catholic spirituality. Cost: \$15/person and religious are free. Go to [www.theCatholicScene.com](http://www.theCatholicScene.com) to purchase tickets.

**WORKSHOP ON ADVANCE DIRECTIVES**

Do you want to know what the Church teaches about end of life issues? Do your loved ones know what your wishes are about end of life issues? Lin Stewart, MSW, will be here on **Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm** in the Bible Study room in the school to discuss all your options pertaining to advance directives.

**What are advance directives?** “Advance directives” are legal documents that allow you to plan and make your own end-of-life wishes known in the event that you are unable to communicate. Advance directives consist of (1) a living will and (2) a medical (healthcare) power of attorney. A living will describes your wishes regarding medical care. With a medical power of attorney you can appoint a person to make healthcare decisions for you in case you are unable to speak for yourself.

Please join us for this very important and informative workshop. It is open to everyone. Light refreshments will be served. What a wonderful gift to give to your loved ones! Please RSVP to Sandy Downing, 524-4092 or to the parish office, 365-8573.

**STUFF THE TRUCK**

Help us stuff the truck with **Turkeys** for the Anderson Cottonwood Christian Assistance annual Thanksgiving and Christmas Food box distribution. We will collect turkeys at all the Masses on the weekend of November 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup>. Each year, ACCA gives out over 300 food boxes for both Thanksgiving and Christmas and they like to include a Turkey with each box. Your generosity helps keep their costs down by not having to purchase over 600 turkeys.

**MASS TO HONOR BISHOP ALPHONSE GALLEGOS**

There will be a special **Mass of Thanksgiving** in honor of **Bishop Alphonse Gallegos** on Saturday, November 19<sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament, 11th & K Streets, Sacramento. Bishop Gallegos, who died in a tragic accident in 1991, was declared “Venerable” by Pope Francis on July 8<sup>th</sup>. This Mass will celebrate that important event. The celebration will begin with a brief wreath-laying ceremony at Bishop Gallegos' statue 1 block south of the Cathedral, at 1:15pm followed immediately by Mass. Everyone is invited.

**LIVING EVERY DAY WITH PASSION & PURPOSE**

Living Everyday with Passion & Purpose, led by Matthew Kelly, invites us all to identify God's voice in our lives and the specific purpose for which we've been created. Matthew inspires attendees to apply the genius of Catholicism to every aspect of our lives, including prayer & spirituality, work, dating & marriage, personal finances, health & well being, parenting, and community involvement. Matthew Kelly and musician, Eliot Morris, prepare a unique message inspired by God and the teachings of the Church that promises to radiate in your life. Consider this: most people take more time to plan their annual vacation than they do to discover the voice of God and His plan for their life. Join us for a Living Every Day with Passion & Purpose event.

**Holy Trinity Parish**

3111 Tierra de Dios Dr.  
El Dorado Hills, CA

March 3, 2017

7:00 – 10:45 PM

**St. John the Baptist Parish**

307 Montrose Dr.  
Folsom, CA

March 4, 2017

9:30 AM – 2:00 PM

We recommend you arrive an hour prior to the event starting, to collect your event materials and find a seat. Every event attendee will receive an event bag, which contains a book, CD, journal, pen, and several other great resources. Please note, meals are not served during the breaks, feel free to pack a snack to enjoy during the breaks in public areas. To purchase tickets, please go to: [www.dynamiccatholic.com](http://www.dynamiccatholic.com) or call 859-980-7900.

**PROJECT ANGEL TREE**

Our parish is again participating in this ministry of Prison Fellowship which provides Christmas gifts to **children of prison inmates**. We would also like to provide a special gift to the **care giver of each of these children**, as most times it is a grandparent or other relative who is taking care of the children. A gift certificate to a restaurant or gift basket is always welcome. Our parish has also adopted **LeBrun Place**, which is a residence for developmentally disabled adults. We would like to provide the 40 residents with a sweat shirt and sweat pants each for Christmas. Look for the “angels” in the foyer after all the Masses the weekend of Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>.

**THE YEAR OF MERCY CONCLUDES**

Pope Francis marked the Year of Mercy, with the opening of the Holy Door. The door represented the passage to salvation; the path to eternal life, opened to humanity by Jesus. In God's mercy, we are connected to God. Mercy opens our hearts to the hope of being loved forever despite our sinfulness. Christ is the one and only way to eternal life. The Holy Year has been an opportunity to grow closer to Jesus, who calls everyone to redemption.

The parishes in the Shasta Deanery will officially declare **November 19, 2016** as the conclusion of the Year of Mercy. The special celebration will be held at **Our Lady of Mercy Parish**, with Mass at **7:30am**; this Mass will be followed with confessions, with all the priests in the Deanery. For this reason, Saturday morning confessions (at Sacred Heart in Anderson) on November 19<sup>th</sup> will be celebrated at Our Lady of Mercy throughout the morning and afternoon. In God's mercy, the door to hope and forgiveness is always open.